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Can always be gotten at his
drug store. It has won its
way into its present compli-
mentary popularity upon merit
alone.

It holds fast the many friends
it made many years ago, and
proves itself a perfect remedy
and toilet article for the uses
indicated by its title.

Gold Fish

We have just received a new
shipment of gold fish in all sizes,
from 15c to 75c apiece. We have
only a few fine Japanese specials
left. Call and see them or tele-
phone 237.

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Druggists... Gold Fish Agents

ZOLA CONVICTED.

The Brave Defender of Dreyfus
Gets One Year's Imprisonment.

A Light Sentence is Given Evi-
dently to Please the Mob.

New York, Feb. 23.—Bulletin
say that Zola, the French novelist
who has been on trial for libelling
French officials, was today convicted
and sentenced to one year's imprison-
ment.

Oppose the Force Bill.

Lawrenceburg, Ky., Feb. 23.—A
mass-meeting of the democrats of
Anderson county was held at the
court house Monday afternoon to
consider the Goebel election bill.
The meeting was organized by the
selection of Mr. John Dowling as
chairman, and J. M. B. Birdwhistle,
as secretary. Messrs. J. W. Rice,
Thomas McMurray and J. M. Posey
were appointed a committee on resolu-
tions, and brought in the following
report, which after a thorough dis-
cussion, was adopted without a dis-
senting voice:

1. The masses of the people of
Kentucky, irrespective of party, de-
sire, and will demand, honesty and
fairness at the ballot.

2. The proposed change in the
election laws of Kentucky is not only
radical to a degree that makes it al-
most revolutionary, subversive of the
democratic principles, but it is wholly
unnecessary for any public require-
ment, or even by any party necessity.

3. The present laws of appointing
election officers for counting the
votes and passing on questions of
contest have been enacted wholly by
the democratic party. During prac-
tically all the time since the war the
democratic party has been in the as-
sendency in the state, and, as the very
last campaign resulted in a sweeping
and signal victory for that party, so
that the plea or pretense that a change
of the law is desired in order to pro-
cure a fair chance for democrats at
the polls is wholly specious and with-
out foundation, in fact. The best
way—the only proper way—to assure
democratic success is for the party to
honestly deserve it and fairly win it.

THE NEW WARSHIPS.

Kearsage and Kentucky the Nearest
Completed.

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port News, Va., and are more than
two-thirds completed.

Our Legislators at Work.
Frankfort, Ky., Feb. 23.—The
house today passed the Associated
Press bill, and advanced the Bron-
ston Prison bill, although the republi-
cans worked hard to defeat it.

A hard fight is on against the
Goebel bill. The opponents of the
bill are in secret caucus today. Cap-
tain Stone, Congressman Owens and
many other leaders are against the
bill, yet the Goebelites claim to be
able to pass it.

To Cure Constipation Forever.
Take Chamberlain's Cathartic. 10c or 25c
per box. C. C. Call to cure, circulate and refund money.

Dainty Odors...

How much we appreciate the
dainty odors of flowers at this
season! It isn't for all of us, however,
to enjoy them as flung from nature's
centers; but there is always the kind
created by perfumes—sweet fragrance
cased in glass.

May Bells, Vassar Violets,

Crabapple Blossoms,

Atkinson White Rose, etc.

Carnation Pink

Is a favorite with many
—very rich and lasting

LYNE & LYNE'S DRUG STORE

War Thought to Be Unavoidable.

The Nation's Coast Defenses Be- ing Strengthened More Hur- riedly Than Yesterday.

Spanish Cruiser Vizeaya Leaves
New York Harbor Tonight,
But Her Destination is
a Secret.

MUCH SUFFERING ON THE ISLAND.

Thousands of Unfortunates Are
Starving on the Streets of
Cuban Cities—No Help
From Spain.

AUTONOMY HAS BEEN PROVEN A FAILURE.

Consul General Lee So Reports.
Believed to End the Hopes
of Spanish Rule in
Cuba.

Washington, Feb. 23.—It is be-
lieved here today that a rupture with
Spain is unavoidable. Every thing
about the nation's capital points to
war. The departments of war and
the navy are the scenes of the most
feverish activity. The defenses of
Washington and of the big cities on
the coast are being pushed even more
hurriedly than yesterday.

The cruiser Marlborough has been
ordered from New Orleans to Key
West.

The Spanish cruiser Vizeaya leaves
New York harbor tonight, but where
is unknown. She sailed last night
and yesterday. It is believed that
the cruiser will go to Havana.

Official reports from Cuba are to
the effect that 11,000 destitute
persons are starving to death on the
streets of the city of Matanzas alone.
Reports from other cities are of a
similar nature. The reports, which
are official, seem incredible.

Washington, Feb. 23.—A letter
was received today from Consul Gen-
eral Lee by the state department
saying that autonomy has proved an
absolute failure in Cuba. This was
Spain's last hope of retaining Cuba
and it is now believed that Spanish
rule is doomed on the ill-fated island.

Washington, Feb. 32.—It is
learned from a high diplomatic
source that the representatives of
three of the leading nations of Europe
here have advised their governments
that they regard war between the
United States and Spain as inevitable
and that open hostilities can not be
postponed longer than two weeks.

Their advice is based on infor-
mation obtained from Havana as well
as from Washington. It is learned
that investigations have been in quiet
progress in Havana through consular
representatives of the governments in
question, who, though acting sepa-
rately, have reached the unanimous
conclusion that the responsibility for
the wreck of the Maine lies very
closely at the doors of certain Span-
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MUNICIPAL MATTERS.

A Woman the Mayor Sent Away
Returns and Goes to the
Poor House—Park
Improvements.

Foot Bridge to Be Built at
Jackson Street—Generosi-
ty of the Standard
Oil Company.

Mrs. Amanda Allen is the name of
a very eccentric old woman who was
glad to get back to Paducah yester-
day, after having been sent away, at
her own request, to relatives in Caro.
Those who know her believe that her
memory has failed her. She seems
to know nothing of her former home,
her friends or relatives.

For some time, perhaps a year,
she was in the home for the Friend-
less, and said she had relatives in
Missouri. She was sent there, but
could find none of her supposed rela-
tives, and came back. She applied
to Mayor Lang for transportation to
Caro last week and was sent away,
but returned yesterday. She was
admitted to the poor house by Com-
missioner Judge Tully, and now seems
happy.

Today the lumber for constructing
a foot bridge over the ravine at the
extremity of Jackson street, was
hailed, and tomorrow the work of
constructing the bridge will be done
by the street gang. The day follow-
ing the gang will be ordered to
West Broadway, to do ditching from
Thirteenth to Twenty-fifth streets.

The city is grateful to the Stand-
ard Oil company for the use of one
of its large tanks. Last week, when
the water works were shut down, the
city borrowed one of the tanks for
hauling water to the electric light
plant. Mr. Bennett, local agent for
the Standard Oil company, wrote the
facts to headquarters, and Manager
Payne, at Cincinnati, wrote back that
the city was welcome to the tank free
of charge.

The streets of Paducah are very
solid, despite the statements to the
contrary. A few days ago Mayor
Lang purchased a huge sledge ham-
mer for the city engineer's assistants
to use in driving wooden stakes in
street surveys for sewerage. After a
brief use, the steel hammer was split
in twain, and is now useless.

The sewerage contractors, Messrs.
Wilcox & Halloran, are ready to be-
gin work next week, but as yet the
city engineer has not given them the
grade. They asked for it several
days ago.

The cedar posts to be placed in
Yeiser Park arrived yesterday, and
today the street force, in pursuance
of orders from Mayor Lang, was en-
gaged in the work of putting them in
place, under the direction of the park
committee, Messrs. Smith and Win-
stead, wires enclosing the walks.

Mr. A. B. Trotter has been ap-
pointed a special policeman for the
West End, the people having com-
plained of no police protection.

DEATH IN THE COUNTY.

Mrs. Tabitha Derrington Dies of
Pneumonia.

Mrs. Tabitha Derrington, aged 66,
of near Eggerson, this county, died
last night in Graves county, after an
illness of less than a week of pneu-
monia. The deceased was wife of
the late Mr. D. C. Derrington and
leaves four sons, Messrs. G. W., J.
H., W. A. and L. N. Derrington,
and one daughter, Mrs. Mollie Mc-
Clure.

The funeral will take place tomor-
row morning at 10 o'clock at Symo-
nia. Burial at the Lyle burial
ground. Rev. Warner Moore, Jr.,
of Benton, will conduct the services.

NOTICE...

We desire to inform the
public that the expected
shipment of the celebrated

CASA NOVA

CIGARS

has at last arrived. We
would be pleased to have
pleased to have our custom-
ers who buy them by the
box, to telephone No. 180
and we will deliver them
promptly. Respt.

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ered to be one of the finest on this
continent. Its length was 2,575 feet
and all is burned. The custom house
under construction and nearly com-
pleted, was damaged to the amount
of \$800,000.

The total loss of wharf, custom
house and merchandise is nearly \$2,-
000,000.

FRENCH BOMB EXPLOSION.

No Lives Were Lost, but Consider-
able Damage Was Done.

Montpellier, France, Feb. 23.—A
bomb was exploded yesterday at the
residence of M. Messine, a former
president of the chamber of com-
merce. Serious damage was done,
but there was no loss of life.

The police have discovered three
smaller bombs in the vicinity of the
headquarters of the staff and at the
railway depot.

Several anarchists have been here
for some days past.

THAT MEETING

Of Republicans to be in Louis-
ville Saturday.

Is For the Purpose of Harmoni-
zing the Grand Old Party in
Kentucky.

Much has been said this week of
the proposed meeting of Republicans
in Louisville Saturday, it being al-
leged that it is to be composed solely
of Bradley republicans and that the
meeting is for the purpose of con-
trolling the republican organization
in the state. Mr. W. Fred Long
and Capt. Ed Farley of this city will
attend the meeting. Mr. Long, who
is one of Governor Bradley's staunch-
est friends, when asked about the
many rumors today said:

Yes, there will be a meeting of
republicans and friends of Governor
Bradley at Louisville Saturday. The
object will be to promote harmony
within the party and to lay the founda-
tion for carrying Kentucky at the
coming state and national elections.
This meeting has not been hatched
because President McKinley turned
down Gen. Collier as the Surveyor
of Port at Louisville, and is by no
means for the purpose of fighting the
national administration.

I believe that Kentucky today is
more firmly republican on the plat-
form of '96 than ever before, and so
do many of the democratic leaders,
as is evidenced by their action in the
legislature in endeavoring to pass the
force bill. It is time for the good
people of the state who want to see
Kentucky rank in her proper place to
speak out against such legislation.

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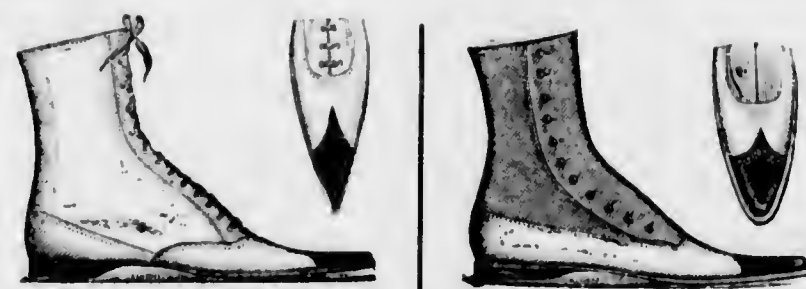
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same palatable, imparts a rich bouquet, and those in need of a stimulant
or tonic and for the family uses can feel assured of the excellence of the
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way. We carry as good goods as can be bought,
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want to get a pair of shoes, come in and try us.

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YOUR CHOICE

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...HOUSE...

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Suits at \$10.

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COLORED DEPARTMENT.

All communications and matters of news pertaining to this column should be addressed to C. W. Meriwether, 221 South Seventh Street.

Mr. Walter Cronk, of Metropolis, is in the city visiting.

Miss Laura L. Threats, of Mayfield, is in the city.

Rev. John Talbot Smith, a Catholic priest, has written a drama, "The Black Cardinal." It is historical and its plot is founded on the struggle between Napoleon and Pope Pius VII, a struggle full of interest and teeming with dramatic incidents. The students of history will remember that at one time Napoleon imposed his pope.

Booker T. Washington, who by many sensible utterances has taught the country to regard him as one of the wisest negroes who have devoted themselves to the solution of the knotty race problem, has issued an open letter to the Louisiana constitutional convention, approving the proposed restriction of the ballot to a protection against the ignorant.

ONE THING NEEDFUL. In nearly all of our cities, a system of free lectures has been inaugurated that have proved in an eminent degree entertaining and instructive.

There is every reason to believe that a movement of this kind in Paducah would prove in the highest degree satisfactory.

For some reason our city has been painfully dilatory in the attainment of proper literary and library facilities, and if there ever was a time for progress along that line, it is now.

The appetite for knowledge grows with what it feeds on, and unless information can be presented to the people in an agreeable and attractive form, they are slow to go out of the way to seek it. Let it be given in the attractive form of lectures, and not only will interest be awakened in such knowledge as may be the subject of lectures, but an interest that will extend to all forms of useful learning.

For these lectures some church or hall may be secured. As for lecturers, there are numbers of men and a few ladies of learning in the city, such as our ministers and the teachers and others who pursue subjects of relative and vital interest to the race through a natural fondness for them who will doubtless readily and even gladly lend their assistance.

It is to be hoped that the public spirited citizens of our city will take this matter in hand and soon have established a course of free public lectures.

These are times of intense competition, and nothing should be neglected to help our city in the contest for the prize of intellectual as well as commercial success.

The Eureka Literary society will meet tomorrow evening at the Hinsband Street C. M. E. church.

The Busy Bee club met last evening.

The Hod Carriers union in regular session on Feb. 15, with their president in the chair, John W. Clark, who has presided for the past twelve months. An election of officers was held. The following officers were elected: J. W. Clark, Pres.; H. P. Bryant, Vice Pres.; W. M. Scott, Financial Sec.; Chas. Howse, Treas. They ask the good will of the citizens of this city. We are indebted to Mr. Wm. Scott for this report.

A Voice From The Church. Mr. Editor: I have heard and read a great deal about the cake walk, and now I confess that I do not understand this matter of cake walking. Nor do I know its origin. Is it a worldly amusement? Is it tendency sinful? Does it lead to make the morals better? Will some one who knows something about the grace conducive to the growth of Christianity, tell me the real benefit derived from the cake walk to the church, to the cause of Christ and religion? I have tried in every conceivable manner to find the good that results from the so-called up-to-date cake walk. But to no avail. I can't see anything but a waste of time, a degradation of morals, a feeder for the halls and a first-class workshop for the devil through his agents to lead the minds of the young church members astray. I have noticed in by the so-called best colored people. If I am mistaken I stand to be corrected. Again a cake walk in these days is not complete without a church member and a dance attached to it. Are the church members strengthened by the cake walk or is the cake walk strengthened by the church members? I think the cake walk gets the best end of the bargain. C. B. P.

Mrs. Hillman, of West Clay street, is on the sick list.

There will be a wedding next Saturday evening at the residence of Mr. W. S. Sides, 1118 North Eleventh street. Brother "Johnson" will wed Miss "Liza." Brother Gardner will officiate, after which the fair will be served for the benefit of the Colored Methodist Episcopal church. Everybody invited. Admission free.

Sermoned. About 10:30 o'clock last night we and our wife were made to feel that we were being waited away to the sweet Elysian fields on a cloud of symphonies that filled the sky. It was a sermon by an orchestra of five pieces, to whom and to which, individually and collectively, we extend our thanks, mingled with the hope that they may call again. The inner man of each was remembered in a way that made itself felt. They will tell the rest.

Washington's birthday was pretty generally observed throughout the country yesterday.

Mr. M. S. Collier, of Pocatonton, Ariz., is in the city visiting his cousin, Mr. Jesse Patton.

OUR USED IN EVERY WAY. Trunkcases, boxes, wraps and boxes made of this season. It is an important factor in the fashion of this season, made up of it in every way and tramping every kind of gown from gauzy to the heaviest cloth. In variety and elegance the fur garments surpass anything we have ever had before, and every conceivable shape, between a small collar and an elaborate fur costume, is worn. The latter is unquestionably an extravagance, but it is very elegant, made of the glossy, pliable mink, which is popular this season. Bodices of this fur are also worn, and a wide band of a black cloth skirt with a blouse of mink, which makes a very elegant costume. A street blouse of this fur is the most stylish garment one can possess, especially if it has a rable collar. Narrow jeweled or plain black collar belts are worn with this coat, which is in evidence up to date, has much less fullness than the blouse made early in the season. The back is flat and plain, the sides very easily so, and they fasten directly in front with revers of lap over on one side or jeweled buttons. The blouse is sometimes made in a separate piece.

Plain medium length coats fitted closely to the back and loose in front are also worn, besides various little street jackets reaching only to the waist, and a blouse of mink with wide revers of contrasting fur or of contrasting velvet. All the coats, whatever the shape may be, are very carefully fitted, and very elegant as to fitting, finish and style.

The blouse apparently makes an attempt to fit snug, and a very close-fitting, not a carefully cut and perfectly fitted blouse, but a style at all. The time when a plain sensible blouse with no pretensions as to fashion elegance or anything of the kind has certainly passed, and now the collar and skirt are required to make any kind of success with our fashions.

A blouse coat of mink, showing in the illustration opens over a vest of contrasting velvet, and is strapped across with black silk cord and pendant ornaments. The collar of velvet is edged with mink. An ermine cuff, with a black and mink fur, is another novelty, while for those who cannot afford the long flowing coat of fur there is one of heavy cloth with mink collar and cuffs.

Two examples of the new coat of fur, one of mink and one of velvet, are shown in the illustration. The mink coat is edged with mink, and the velvet coat is edged with velvet. The mink coat is edged with mink, and the velvet coat is edged with velvet.

Both of these coats are very elegant, and the mink coat is especially so. The mink coat is edged with mink, and the velvet coat is edged with velvet.

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A Rush for The Spoils

Will not express it when you see the bargains we are offering this week.

Five hundred new shepherd plaid skirts, different colors and patterns, all wool, extra widths and heavy weight. These skirts could not be sold in the regular way under \$3.50 and \$4.00, but they are slightly damaged. Your choice of the lot for \$1.00.

Twelve hundred new saunter corsets, all styles and colors, the range in price from 75c to \$1.75—our price for your choice of any of these high-class goods, 50c.

Two hundred new gold belts, regular 25c and 50c belts—they are odd sizes—your choice for 10c.

A handsome set ring with every \$5.00 purchase.

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MILLINERY DEPARTMENT...

Just received—The most exclusive and stylish line of millinery every exhibited in Paducah.

New Tan O'Shauness, new sailors, new walking hats, and, in fact, hats of all styles and descriptions, at prices that cannot fail to suit the most economical buyers.

Bear in mind, we carry the most select stock of mourning goods in the city.

LOCAL MENTION.

Big Shipment of Feed.

The ferryboat Bettle Owen today brought to the city on her forenoon trip from the Illinois shore over twenty loads of hay, corn, etc. This was a pretty good haul for one half day.

Dr. Edwards, Ear, Eye, Nose and Throat Specialist, Paducah, Ky.

Wanted.

A traveling solicitor for the Daily and Weekly Sun. Liberal inducements offered to the right man. Call in person, or write to SUN PUBLISHING CO., Paducah, Ky.

Notice.

Owners of horses, mules and cattle will conform to the ordinance governing same, at once or suffer the penalty. Horses and mules, loose, are not to be let run in the city limits at any time day or night. Cattle are to be confined at night. This will be rigidly enforced.

JAS. M. LANG, Mayor.

Special Sale.

Pure maple sugar, per lb., 10c.
Hickory Hill pickle, per gal., 30c.
Choice dates, per lb., 7c.
Choice dried figs, per lb., 7c.
Choice N. O. molasses, per gal., 35c.

Fresh corn meal, per bu., 40c.
Oranges, per doz., 10c. to 30c.
Qt. bottles best catsup, 15c.

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Phone 89, 123 S. Second st.

Linwood is the best good-sized, good quality 5-cent cigar made. Ask for it.

Valuable Real Estate for Sale.

The following valuable real estate is offered for sale at low prices:

Residence, six rooms, and lot, corner Tenth and Jefferson.

Stable and lot, Jefferson near Tenth, touching Illinois Central railroad.

Business property on Third street between Broadway and Jefferson, 43 feet front, now used as coal yard and feed store.

For terms apply to J. T. Donovan or John O'Brien, Paducah, Ky. 21-5

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Incandescent lamp globes suitable for system for sale at McPherson's Drugstore.

We want you for a customer.

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New City Laundry uses no muddy water—clear distilled water only.

Edicate Your House With Cigarettes.

Candy Cigarettes, ever confectionery, 50c. per 100. C. C. C. Co., Paducah, Ky.

In Memoriam.

Many hearts will be saddened to learn that the angel of death has taken from earth another treasure. A happy home has been robbed of its fairest and brightest jewel; a radiant pearl has departed from the cord of affection to be gathered to the immortal casket in heaven.

On Thursday, February 17, 1893, Miss Maggie Wirth, aged 23, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Stephen Wirth, departed from this world of sorrow to a brighter world above.

Our sympathies are with the bereaved father, mother, sister and brothers, knowing how hard it is to give her up. No one saw the silent messenger; no one heard the rustle of the snowy wings; none of the anxious watchers could see the cold hand that was gently and silently bearing their loved one away from them none but heaven knows.

Clothed in the spotless robes of innocence she went and left us with our hearts overburdened with a weary, lonesome grief, she left her beloved father, mother, sister and brothers and seven precious brothers here on earth and went to meet her darling sister in heaven.

Dear father, mother, sister and brothers, weep not for your loved one, though you so sadly miss her here on earth, her soul is safe in heaven.

A jewel rare to earth, was given From Heaven's celestial clime Back to its giver soon was driven, Where life knows no end of time.

Like a dove to the ark
Thou hast flown to thy rest
From the wild sea of strife
To the home of the blest.

She has crossed life's sunset portals
So blithe, so young, so gay;
Still loving hearts will thrill with pain
To know that she has gone away.

Her loving friend
HALLIE C. E. KETTLER,
McCracken county, Feb. 22, 1893.

Police Court.

Small and Interesting Session This Morning.

There was a brief session of today's police court.

The case against John Marshall, colored, charged with stealing a ham from the towboat Kenton, was continued until tomorrow, to await the arrival of Capt. Robertson, who is out on a trip.

John Haffy, who was found at the bottom of the city hall steps, where he had rolled from the top, was a sorry looking specimen, charged with drunkenness. He was fined \$1 and costs.

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Wood.

Telephone No. 29 for a nice two horse load delivered promptly. Price, \$1 cash. Ohio River Spoke and Lumber Co., E. E. Bell.

PERSONALS.

Joe J. McIver, of Louisville, is at the Palmer.

J. H. Coleman of Murray, is at the Palmer.

Chas. E. Coon, of Geneva, N. Y., is at the Palmer.

Attorney J. M. Werten was in Princeton on business.

A. Pollak, of Richmond, Va., is at the New Richmond.

O. Ranchness, of Goleonda, is at the New Richmond.

The Misses Boaz, of Goleonda, were visitors in the city today.

John H. Jones and wife, of Advance, Mo., are at the Palmer.

Mr. Will Schroeder and wife returned to St. Louis today.

Mr. George L. Woody, representing the "Hurlington Route" is at the Palmer.

Mrs. J. P. Bohannon, of Caseyville, is a guest of her son, Mr. Arc Bohannon.

Mr. A. Knox and the Paducah Y. M. C. A. delegation have returned from Mayville.

Miss Daisy Neely, of Corydon, Ind., who is visiting her sister, Mrs. H. J. Foppe, is quite ill.

Conductor W. Y. Haasbro, after a visit to Sheffield, Ala., returned to the city today.

Senator Mc D. Ferguson and Representative Moequet returned to Frankfort this morning.

Second Clerk Lee Rhodes, of the Joe Fowler, has a beautiful black eye. He fell down the steps.

Dispatcher Allen Jorgenson, of the Illinois Central, was able to be out today, after nearly two weeks' illness.

Mr. Bob Robertson, the Clarinetist, will be here tomorrow afternoon to take part in the "Blind Joe" concert.

The Misses Hendrick, of Owensboro, after a visit to their father, Deputy Revenue Collector Hendrick, left this morning for home.

Miss Ora V. Leigh, who has been at the Y. M. C. convention at Mayville, is visiting her brother, Mr. Chut Leigh, in Louisville.

Messrs. A. R. Jones, Neal Glauhan, A. Somones and H. Dancke, of Union City, Tenn., came up last night and are at the Palmer.

Mr. Alex Levy and wife, of Louisville, are in the city on a visit. They are ex-residents of the city and their many friends will be glad to see them.

A WARSHIP OF SOAP.

Remarkable Display in the Big Show Window at Noah's Ark.

Representation of the Battleship Maine, Morro Castle and Havana Harbor.

When Noah's Ark does anything it is done right, and furthermore it is always up-to-date. The latest advertising scheme of this store is the representation of the Battleship Maine in soap. The beautiful ship with its big guns, turrets, small boats and masts, even the search light, all in soap—Noah's Ark's—which is the best. Besides the big warship are small boats and not far off across the harbor is the massive Morro Castle, one of the three strongest forts in the world. This artistic creation in soap is well worth the pains of any one to go to Noah's Ark to see.

ALLEGED THIEVES.

On Trial Before County Judge Tully Today.

The young men White and Hunt, of near Hagland, charged with stealing meat from a smoke-house, are on trial today before County Judge Tully.

The case has consumed the greater part of the day, and this afternoon only three witnesses had been heard, while there are twenty or more in all. The case may last through tomorrow.

PICTURE MAN.

Got Too Free in His Remarks to an Employee.

W. J. King, one of the picture men under the New Richmond, was arrested today on a warrant charging him with using insulting language towards L. Leoline, an employee. The case will come up tomorrow in the police court.

ALLEGED TO BE INSANE.

Mrs. Thad Gish Will be Tried Before Judge Husbands.

Mrs. Thad Gish, of the Massac neighborhood, will be tried before Circuit Judge Husbands this afternoon or in the morning on a charge of lunacy.

The unfortunate woman is one of the most prominent of that locality, and has friends and relatives in the city as well as in the county. She is about 45 years old, and it is understood has been in failing health for the past several weeks. The information relative to her sanity was filed by County Attorney Graves today.

NEW ROADMASTER HERE.

Is Being Shown About by Roadmaster Sabla.

The new roadmaster for this division, Mr. L. W. Wallace, arrived in the city this morning, accompanied by the retiring roadmaster, Mr. A. T. Sabla, who is transferred to Chicago.

The two gentlemen have been out on an inspection of the road. Supervisor Martin Grehan, of Princeton, was in the party.

Smoke Pete's Bismark and Star Banner.

WHAT THE DOCTORS THINK.

A Number of Them Express Their Views on Dr. Robertson's Ordinance Relative To City Physician's Dispensation of Medicine—The Majority of Them Think the Plan is Practicable—Some Do Not, However.

The ordinance to be introduced at the next meeting of the council, prescribing that the city physician shall dispense his own drugs, in addition to prescribing for patients, will no doubt provoke opposition. A reporter today interviewed a number of local physicians relative to the only one question involved, viz: whether or not it is possible for the city physician, with the amount of work he already has to do, to dispense these drugs. Nearly all the doctors agreed that it is possible for a physician to do this, but that it will take up all of his time, and he should be paid more money for it.

Dr. Harry Williamson, whom City Physician Rivers succeeded, said: "Sometimes it would be practicable and sometimes it wouldn't. At times the city physician has more than he can do, at other times very little. He has to visit from five to thirty patients a day. When I was in office a good plan was suggested but it was never carried out. This plan was to let an apothecary's shop in the office now occupied by the mayor, and employ a clerk to mix prescriptions. The people would then have to go to the city hall to have the prescription filled, instead of to drug stores out around town. The drug bill during the year I was in office was about \$1,600. The city once bought me about \$60 worth of drugs. I always, to a certain extent, dispensed my medicine, and every city physician does, more or less. To do this exclusively, however, would sometimes be possible and sometimes it wouldn't."

Dr. Troutman, who was city physician previous to Dr. Williamson, stated that he did not think the city physician could dispense his own drugs. That the work was too great.

Dr. C. A. Elliott, who was city physician years ago, said: "I think the city physician could dispense the drugs, as well as prescribe. Of course it would be no easy job, but the majority of prescriptions used in common ailments can be mixed almost as easily as they can be written. I have written most of my medicine in the country and city, that way for forty years. I do it yet, and many others do."

Dr. Brooks said: "Yes, it could be done, I think, but it would require all the doctor's time. Now Dr. Saunders used to do that way, and Dr. Frank Davis adopted the plan. The latter accepted the office of city physician for \$150 a year, and furnished all the medicines, too, and the records will show it. But of course the town was not so large then. I think the plan is feasible."

Dr. Redick said: "Yes, I think it can be done, but think the salary ought to be increased. With our system of tablets' he could probably succeed in dispensing his drugs, but it would take up all of his time, and he would lose lots of rest."

Dr. Boyd said: "It is possible, but it would keep the city physician very much busier than he is now, and he is now one of the busiest men in town. I don't think, however, that he could do the patients justice in every instance. If he had to give medicine, he would have to give what he had, and if he didn't have it he would have to give something else. Hence the patient might suffer for it."

Dr. Winston: "With our system of tablets, I think the city physician could dispense his own drugs. If the drug bill last year was \$1,600, I believe he would be willing to accept the position of city physician and furnish all the drugs at my own expense for \$1,600."

Ex City Physician W. T. Graves stated that he thought it was possible for the city physician to mix his prescriptions, but did not think this duty could legally be imposed on him after his election.

Dr. Brothers, county physician, could not be found, but he stated to others that he believed the proposed plan is practical.

Dr. P. H. Stewart, an ex-city physician, is positive the plan cannot be carried out. That the city physician cannot, with the work that devolves upon him, write and compound his own prescriptions.

City Physician Rivers himself was seen and said he did not believe it could be done. That with the work he is compelled to do it would be impossible to dispense medicine in addition to writing prescriptions.

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WEDDINGS.

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Young Couple From Paducah Goes to Metropolis to Be Married.

The marriage of Dr. S. Z. Holland, of Grahamville, to Miss Eva Temple, of Maxon's Mills, took place at 5:30 o'clock yesterday afternoon at the German Evangelical church, this city, Rev. B. F. Wulfram, the pastor, officiating. Miss Woelischneider, of St. Louis, and Mr. Johnson House, of the city, were the attendants. A sumptuous bridal supper was served at the home of the bride after the wedding. Both are deservedly popular young people, and belong to some of the best families of the county.

Mr. Thomas O. Argust, the popular young clerk on the wharfboat, and Miss Julia Berger, a most estimable young lady of the south side, were united in marriage last night at the residence of Mr. J. M. Jones, 414 N. South Fourth street, Rev. J. W. Waters, of the Third street M. E. church, officiating.

The marriage was in the nature of a surprise, not even the most intimate friends of the couple having been apprised of it. Mr. and Mrs. Argust have the best wishes of a host of friends.

At 5 o'clock this afternoon Councilman Wm. Eades will be united in marriage at Birmingham, Ala., to Miss Mae Woodson Cole, of that city. The couple will arrive in Paducah before the first of March and be at home to friends.

Mr. Elmer Tripp, superintendent of the turnpike department of the Mayfield planning mill and Miss Ora Bolote, a charming young lady, were married last night at the bride's home, one mile west of Mayfield. Both are popular young people.

Miss Ella May Crow and Mr. G. M. Mayley went to Metropolis today and were married. The bride is a charming young lady of Eleventh street, formerly of Princeton, Ky., and Mr. Mayley is foreman at Little's factory.

THE THREE RIVERS.

Items of Interest Gathered From the River Front for the Sun Readers.

The Dick Fowler was the only lower Ohio river packet out of this port today. She left for Cairo at 8:30 this morning.

The sectional dry docks are busy repairing some barges for the Harriet fleet.

The W. W. O'Neil is on her way down the Ohio with a big tow of coal and route to southern points. She will likely pass here tomorrow and is expected to leave some coal here for a local dealer.

The Reuben Dumbair out of the Cumberland river from Nashville is expected here this afternoon on her way to Evansville.

The Monie Bauer is due out of the Cumberland river with a tow of spoke and stave timber, this being her first trip since she has been reconstructed.

The towboat R. A. Speed is due here tomorrow out of the Tennessee river with a tow of ties.

The Peter Hontz went to Mound City after some empties yesterday afternoon.

The W. F. Nishet from Memphis with an excellent up stream trip arrived here this morning. She left on her way to Cincinnati after lying here some length of time.

The Tennessee is due here out of the Cumberland river en route to Evansville.

The P. D. Staggs will arrive here this afternoon from Waterloo, Ala., and will return tomorrow afternoon.

The Joe Fowler was the Evansville mail liner today, although somewhat late in arriving on account of very heavy freight business.

The towboat H. F. Frisbie with a tow of steel rails for St. Louis, passed down from Cincinnati late yesterday afternoon.

The Henry De Bus from the upper Ohio, passed down early this morning with a tow of empties.

The old boilers of the harbor tug Ida have been taken out and the new battery will be placed in today. She will be ready for service again in a couple of weeks.

Work is excellently progressing on the Eagle Packet company's new packet which is being finished at the Leybe fleet here and she will be ready to leave for St. Louis in a few days to enter her field of service. She far exceeds any of the company's other packets in appearance and is also expected to be one their best freight carriers.

Mr. Ryan is in the city buying logs for the National Pump Co., at Mound City. Their tug at that place will be here in a few days to take the logs down.

The H. W. Bottorff was due here early this morning out of the Cumberland river, but had not reported at a late hour. She is expected to be in and out again for Nashville this afternoon, however.

The City of Clarksville will be here this afternoon and leaves on her return tomorrow at noon.

The gage showed the river this morning to still be rising with 18.4 showing on the marks and the big bar has again disappeared beneath the surface.

The Peter Hontz arrived from Mound City this morning and leaves this afternoon for Tennessee river after a tow of ties.

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